IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

SCOTT M. EPSTEIN,

Plaintiff,

v.

Civil Action No. 03-cv-12297-RWZ

C.R. BARD, INC., FUTUREMED INTERVENTIONAL, INC., and CROSSBOW VENTURES, INC.,

Defendants.

ASSENTED-TO MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR DEFENDANTS FUTUREMED INTERVENTIONAL, INC. AND CROSSBOW VENTURES, INC. TO ANSWER OR OTHERWISE DEFEND

Defendants Futuremed Interventional, Inc. and Crossbow Ventures, Inc. hereby move the Court for an extension of time, until and including December 10, 2003, to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint. Counsel for Plaintiff has agreed to the requested extension.

Respectfully submitted,

FUTUREMED INTERVENTIONAL, INC., and CROSSBOW VENTURES, INC. By their counsel,

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LOCAL RULE 7.1 CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that counsel for the parties conferred in good faith prior to the filing of this motion and came to the resolution stated herein.

/s/ Michael A. Albert
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